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TAGS: NATO, MPOL

SUBJECT: CSCE CONFIDENCE BUILDING MEASURES

REFS: (A) 071439Z FEB 77; (B) USCINCEUR 300720Z MAR 77

1. MISSION SHOULD INFORM THE ALLIES THAT WE PLAN TO MAKE NOTIFICATION OF ALL MAJOR MILITARY MANEUVERS IN WHICH WE PARTICIPATE. WE SHALL WISH TO CONSULT THE ALLIES ON HOW WE MAKE NOTIFICATION OF MULTINATIONAL MANEUVERS. WE ALSO INTEND TO MAKE NOTIFICATION OF ALL BUT A FEW MANEUVERS IN THE "SIGNIFICANT" RANGE OF 10,000 TO 25,000 TROOPS IN WHICH WE PARTICIPATE.

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2. YOU SHOULD CIRCULATE THE LIST OF US PARTICIPATION IN MANEUVERS PROBABLY INVOLVING 10,000 OR MORE TROOPS, AS GIVEN IN CINCEUR'S 071430Z MAR 77, BUT OMIT DAWN PATROL WHICH INVOLVES ONLY 2,500 TROOPS. YOU SHOULD ALSO AMEND THE TROOP TOTAL FOR CERTAIN FIGHTER TO READ 24,000 VICE 25,000 AND NOTE TO ALLIES THAT THIS WAS A "VOLUNTARY" NOTIFICATION.

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WHEN THIS LIST IS COMPLETE, WE HOPE THAT THE ALLIES
WILL AGREE TO NOTIFICATION OF MOST EXERCISES IN
THE 10-25,000 TROOP RANGE.

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